Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Jobs of the future will require a higher level of technical skills which can best be developed by mathematical training; and,

WHEREAS, South Dakota students at all levels need to be made aware of the contribution of mathematics to our society and encouraged to learn as much mathematics as they can; and,

WHEREAS, Mathematics is not only the language of science and technology but is being applied to almost every facet of modern society including economics, marketing, quality control, and statistical studies; and,

WHEREAS, South Dakotans are proud of the achievement of their youth in mathematics, but recognize the need to increase their mathematical training both in depth and breadth to remain competitive in a world of increasing technological complexity; and,

WHEREAS, A commitment to technological and industrial development in South Dakota requires a commitment to improve mathematics education in South Dakota:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim April 23 through 29, 1989, as

MATHEMATICS AWARENESS WEEK

in South Dakota, and urge the citizens of this state to recognize this event and to take part in its observance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Eighth Day of March, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Nine

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE